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**RE:    Approval, Closure Description Document (CDD) for Closure of RCRA Permitted Container Storage Unit 460.1 in Building 460**

Dear Mr. Legare and Ms. Nesta:

The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division (the "Division") has received and reviewed the subject CDD signed by DOE on January 24, 2005. The CDD is hereby approved.

Considering the short operational history of the unit, the Division agrees that administrative closure, as described in State RCRA Permit CO-04-06-23-01; Permit Condition Part X.D.1.a, Clean Closure Option 1: Unit Review and Inspection, should be adequate for the highbay area of Building 460. As acknowledged, Option 1 must be based on an Operating Record that indicates no releases occurred at any time during the operational period, or quickly mitigated, and also by visual inspection.

Additionally, the Division agrees that Permit Condition Part X.D. 3, Unit Removal without On-Site Treatment should be appropriate for the five cargo container presently located on the east side of Building 460. Specifically, the secondary containment pans and rollers will be size-reduced and disposed as low-level mixed waste. The cargo containers will either be released to PU&D, or disposed as low-level waste, based upon radiological screening. The CDD presents these as future activities; although not indicated in the CDD, a closure summary report must be submitted upon completion of closure.

If you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please contact me at 303-692-3367 or Harlen Ainscough at (303) 692-3337.

Sincerely,

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